

Appendix J – Acronyms

Acronym	Description
AAR	After Action Report
ACH	Automated Clearing House
ADDIE	Analysis, Design, Development, Implementation, and Evaluation
INDOT	Indiana Department of Transportation
AEL	Authorized Equipment List
AFG	Assistance to Firefighters Grant
ING	Indiana National Guard
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
APCO	Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials
ARF	Action Request Form
ASAP	As Soon As Possible
ASAP	Automated Standard Application for Payments
ATAC	Anti-Terrorism Advisory Council
BSIR	Biannual Strategy Implementation Reports
BZP	Buffer Zone Plan
BZPP	Buffer Zone Protection Plan
CAP	Corrective Action Plan
CAPR	Categorical Assistance Progress Reports
CBP	Customs and Border Protection
CBRN	Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear
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CCP	US Citizen Corps Program
CCTV	Closed-Circuit Television
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CDP	Center for Domestic Preparedness
CEDAP	Commercial Equipment Direct Assistance Program
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CERT	Community Emergency Response Training
CERT	Community Emergency Response Teams
CFA	Capability Focus Area
CFDA	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CHIP	Capability & Hazard Identification Program
CI	Critical Infrastructure
CI/KR	Critical Infrastructure/Key Resources
CIP	Capital Improvement Program
CIP	Critical Infrastructure Protection
CIRA	Catastrophic Incident Response Annex
CME	Continuing Medical Education
CMIA	Cash Management Improvement Act
CNE	Continuing Nursing Education

CO-OP	Cooperative Training Outreach Program
COTS	Commercial-off-the-Shelf
CSID	Centralized Scheduling and Information Desk
CST	Civil Support Team
D&B	Dun and Bradstreet
DEC	Department of Environmental Conservation
DFO	Disaster Field Office (old term)
DHS	U.S. Department of Homeland Security
DHS&EM	Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management
DHSS	Department of Health and Social Services
DMAT	Disaster Medical Assistance Team
DMORT	Disaster Mortuary Operational Response Team
DNDO	Domestic Nuclear Detection Office
DOD	Department of Defense
DOE	U.S. Department of Justice
DOJ	US Dept of Justice
DOJ	U.S. Department of Energy
DOS	U.S. Department of State
DOT	Department of Transportation (see ADOT/PF)
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation
DPC	State Disaster Policy Cabinet
DPETAP	Domestic Preparedness Equipment Technical Assistance Program
DPH	Department of Public Health
DPI	Disaster Preparedness Improvement
DRF	Disaster Relief Fund
DUNS	Data Universal Numbering System
EA	Environmental Assessment
EBS	Emergency Broadcasting System
ECRT	Emergency Communications Response Team
EEG	Exercise Evaluation Guide
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement
ELO	Enabling Learning Objectives
EMA	Emergency Management Agency
EMAP	Emergency Management Accreditation Program
EMEDS	Emergency Medical Support
EMI	Emergency Management Institute
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EMPG	Emergency Management Performance Grants
EMS	Emergency Medical Services
EMT	Emergency Medical Technician
EOC	Emergency Operations Center
EOD	Explosive Ordnance Device
EOP	Emergency Operations Planning

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EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
EPW	Exercise Planning Workshop
ETA	Estimated Time of Arrival
ETD	Estimated Time of Departure
FAR	Federal Acquisition Regulations
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigation
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FE	Functional Exercise
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FGDC	Federal Geographic Data Committee
FICA	Federal Insurance Contributions Act
FOIA	Freedom of Information Act
FSE	Full-Scale Exercise
FSR	Financial Status Report
FTE	Full-Time Employees
G&T	Preparedness Directorate's Office of Grants and Training
GAN	Grant Adjustment Notice
GAO	Government Accountability Office
GEA	Geospatial Enterprise Architecture
GIS	Geographic Information System
GISWG	Global Infrastructure and Standards Working Group
GJXDM	Global Justice XML Data Model
GML	Geography Markup Language
GMS	Grants Management System
GOTS	Government-off-the-Shelf
GPS	Global Positioning Systems
GRT	Grant Reporting Tool
HAZMAT	Hazardous Materials
HDER	Homeland Defense Equipment Reuse
HHS	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
HMEP	Hazardous Material Emergency Preparedness
HMGP	Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
HRSA	Health Resources and Services Administration
HSAC	Homeland Security Advisory Council
HSC	Homeland Security Council
HSEEP	Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Plan
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HSGP	Homeland Security Grant Program
HSIN	Homeland Security Information Network
HSOC	Homeland Security Operations Center
HSPD	Homeland Security Presidential Directive
HSPTAP	Homeland Security Preparedness Technical Assistance Program

HSVAC	Homeland Security Virtual Assistance Center
IAB	InterAgency Board
IAFIS	Integrated Automated Fingerprint Identification System
IAIP	DHS Information Analysis & Infrastructure Protection Directorate
IBSGP	Intercity Bus Security Grant Program
ICS	Incident Command System
ICTAP	Interoperable Communication Technical Assistance Program
IED	Improvised Explosive Device
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc.
IMAWS	Information Management Alert Warning Section
INCITS	International Committee for Information Technology Standards
IP	Improvement Plan
IPRSGP	Intercity Passenger Rail Security Grant Program
ISAC	Information Sharing and Analysis Center
ISIP	Initial Strategy Implementation Plan
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ISO	International Standards Organization
IWN	Integrated Wireless Network
JFHQ	Joint Field Headquarters
JFO	Joint Field Office
JOC	Joint Operations Center
JRIES	Joint Regional Information Exchange System
JTTF	Joint Terrorism Task Force
KA	Key Asset
KR	Key Resource
LAP	Lesson Administration Page
LEO	Law Enforcement Online
LEP	Limited English Proficient
LEPC	Local Emergency Planning Committee
LEPD	Local Emergency Planning District
LETPP	Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention Program
LLEA	Lead Law Enforcement Agency
LLIS	Lessons Learned Information Sharing
LMR	Land Mobile Radio
LNG	Liquid Natural Gas
LOCES	Letter of Credit Electronic Certification System
M&A	Management and Administration costs
MARSEC	Maritime Security
MEDS	Minimum Essential Data Sheets
MIPT	National Memorial Institute for the Prevention of Terrorism
MMRS	Metropolitan Medical Response System
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding

MRC	Medical Reserve Corps
MS&G	Models, Simulations, and Games
MVCIAS	DOT X-Ray Machine
NAWAS	National Warning System
NCIC	National Crime Information Center
NCJA	National Criminal Justice Association
NCR	National Capital Region
NDMS	National Disaster Medical System
NDPC	National Domestic Preparedness Consortium
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NFA	National Fire Academy
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association
NGA	Notice of Grant Award
NGO	Non-Governmental Organization
NIC	NIMS Integration Center
NIEM	National Information Exchange Model
NIMCAST	NIMS Capability Assessment Support Tool
NIMS	National Incident Management System
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
NIPP	National Infrastructure Protection Plan
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology
NLT	No Later Than
NOAA	National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration
NRCC	National Response Coordination Center
NRP	National Response Plan
NSDI	National Spatial Data Infrastructure
NSGIC	National States' Geographic Information Council
NSSE	National Special Security Event
NTE	Not-To-Exceed
OC	Office of the Comptroller, US DOJ Office of Justice Programs
OC	Office of the Comptroller
ODP	US Office for Domestic Preparedness
OGC	Office of General Counsel
OGC™	Open Geospatial Consortium
OGO	USDHS Office of Grant Operations
IDHS	Indiana Department of Homeland Security
OIC	Office for Interoperability and Compatibility
OJP	Office of Justice Programs
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OMB	Office of Management and Budget
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PA	Public Affairs
PAPRS	Phone Activated Paperless Request System

PD	Police Department
PDM	Pre-Disaster Mitigation
PHS	Public Health Service
PIO	Public Information Officer
POC	Point of Contact
POETE	Plan, Organize, Equip, Train, Exercise
POI	Point of Interest
POMSO	Plans Operations and Military Support Office
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
PSA	Protective Security Advisor
PSD	Protective Security Division of DHS IAIP
PSGP	Port Security Grant Program
PSTN	Public Switched Telephone Network
RAD/NUC	Radiological and Nuclear
RAT	Rapid Assistance Team
RDT&E	Research, Development, Testing and Evaluation
RKB	Responder Knowledge Base
RRCC	Regional Response Coordination Center
RTSWG	Region Transit Security Working Group
S&T	Science and Technology
SAA	State Administrative Agency
SAAT	Standardized Awareness Authorized Trainer
SARA	Superfund Amendments & Reauthorization Act
SDSFIE	Spatial Data Standard for Facilities, Infrastructure, and Environment
SECC	State Emergency Coordination Center
SEL	Standardized Equipment List
SERC	State Emergency Response Commission
SHSAS	State Homeland Security Assessments and Strategies
SHSEEP	State Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program
SHSGP	State Homeland Security Grant Program
SHSP	State Homeland Security Program
SHSS	State Homeland Security Strategy
SITREP	Situation Report
SLA	State Local Assistance
SLE	State & Local Exercise
SLGCP	DHS Office of State and Local Government Coord. & Preparedness
SME	Subject Matter Expert
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
SoR	Statement of Requirements
SPOC	Single Point of Contact
SRM	Service Reference Model
SWAT	Special Weapons and Tactics
TA	Technical Assistance

TCL	Target Capabilities List
TEW	Terrorism Early Warning
TLO	Terminal Learning Objectives
TOPOFF	Top Officials Exercise
TPOC	Training Point of Contact
TRM	Technical Reference Model
TSA	Transportation Security Administration
TSGP	Transit Security Grant Program
TSP	Training Support Package
TTX	Tabletop Exercise
UAWG	Urban Area Working Group
UHF	Ultra High Frequency
USAR	Urban Search and Rescue
USCG	United States Coast Guard
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
UTF	Unable to Fill
UTL	Universal Task List
VHF	Very High Frequency
VIPS	Volunteers in Police Service
VMI	Vendor Managed Inventory
VRPP	Vulnerability Reduction Purchase Plan
WFS	Web Feature Service
WMD	Weapons of Mass Destruction
WMS	Web Map Service
XML	Extensible Markup Language
XSTF	XML Structure Task Force